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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Official Action of January 23, 2008 in the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.